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OF

ANTRIM, N. H.,

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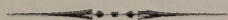
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# SCHOOL REPORT.

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FELLOW CITIZENS:—In compliance with the requirements of the law, I herewith submit the following report of your schools for the year ending March, 1873.

## DISTRICT NO. 1.

GRAMMAR SCHOOL. Miss Kate J. Presby, Teacher, both terms. The summer term was so interrupted and deranged by Measles and Mumps as greatly to impair its success. The winter term we regard as eminently successful. Miss Presby met the requirements of her position in a manner alike creditable to herself, and satisfactory to her patrons. The classes in reading are the best in town. That in Practical Arithmetic did remarkably well.

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT. Emily F. Tuttle, Teacher, both terms. Miss Tuttle has taught this school four consecutive terms to the entire acceptance, we think, of every member of the district. We but echo the general sentiment of her patrons in saying that as a teacher of a primary school she has few equals. She has perfect control of her pupils, and this control is maintained by the most effectual means by which government in the school-room *can be* maintained; namely, by affection, by kindness, by love. Such a hold upon the confidence, respect and affection of her pupils as Miss Tuttle possesses, any teacher may well covet.



## DISTRICT NO. 2.

Mary F. Knowlton, Teacher during the year. The fact of Miss Knowlton having been continued in this school four terms to the very general satisfaction of the patrons speaks for itself, and would seem to require no comment from us. The teacher worked hard, maintained good order, and taken as a whole the school may be regarded as tolerably successful. The neglect to introduce writing during the winter term until the sixth or seventh week, we regard as inexcusable. Outside the regular routine of the text books the scholars of this school seem to have but little definite knowledge. They are altogether too backward for the opportunities they have had. The reading is badly done, and the spelling wretched. Twelve scholars are reported as not having been either absent or tardy—an example worthy of imitation by other schools. We are obliged to suspend the writing of this report and go to the Prudential committee for statistical items that should have been furnished in Miss Knowlton's register.

## DISTRICT NO. 3.

SUMMER TERM. J. S. Knowlton, Teacher. Miss Knowlton is a teacher of experience, tact and ability, and she brought these qualities to bear most successfully in the management of this term. The closing examination was interesting and satisfactory. A class of two young ladies sustained an excellent examination in Grammar.

WINTER TERM. David A. Starrett, Teacher. Mr. Starrett is more than an average scholar, and is *capable* of teaching a good school. He commenced here under the most favorable auspices, having previously taught in No. 4 to the general acceptance of the district. He failed to sustain himself in this school, however, and the result of his efforts was a sorry disappointment to a large majority of the district. The teacher complained that the parents took no interest in the school, and did not sustain him in his efforts to govern it, but encouraged their children in their insubordination. The parents in turn complained that the teacher used outlandish and insulting expres-

sions in the school-room, and that his habits and associations outside the school-room were not such as to entitle him to the confidence and respect of his pupils or of the community. Thus there was crimination and recrimination. We deeply regret that any teacher of youth should so far forget the dignity of his calling as to indulge in the disgusting habit of tobacco chewing *in the school-room*. If he *must* chew and smoke, let it be done away from the school-room and the presence of his scholars, where the vile and corrupting influence of his example shall not be felt upon the precious immortals committed to his charge. We write these words with no desire to wound the feelings of a fellow teacher, but because impelled to do it by an imperious sense of duty to the educational interests of the town which we for the time represent.

#### DISTRICT NO. 4.

SUMMER TERM. Alma F. Shattuck, Teacher. This was Miss Shattuck's first school, and the number of scholars was too small to enable her to do justice to herself. The few scholars she had made rapid advancement. From personal observation we know Miss Shattuck to be one of the best scholars in town, and we hope to see her in some important school the coming season.

WINTER TERM. H. D. Chapin, Teacher. One of the pleasantest schools we ever taught. Not an ill-disposed or vicious scholar in attendance. Of the twenty-one scholars reported, eleven came from other districts. Not the least thing occurred during the term to interrupt the friendly relations between teacher and scholars. We endeavored to make our instructions thorough and practical, giving special prominence to those branches of study that we thought the pupil would most need in the every-day affairs of life. How far we succeeded in these endeavors the patrons of the school must decide.

#### DISTRICT NO. 5.

SUMMER TERM. Katie I. Preston, Teacher. Miss Preston combines in a remarkable degree those qualities that go to make



up a successful teacher. She is a splendid scholar, quick of apprehension, full of energy, and possesses an indomitable perseverance. She made a good record in this backward school during the few weeks she had it in charge.

WINTER TERM. Fannie H. Nesmith, Teacher. This term did not commence until the latter part of January, and is now in session at this time of writing. We visited the school and found it in good working order. From our knowledge of the teacher and the appearance of the school, we feel warranted in predicting a profitable term.

#### DISTRICT NO. 6.

SUMMER TERM. Ella A. Foster, Teacher. This was Miss Foster's first school, and taken as a whole may be regarded as a success. Aside from the text books Miss Foster possessed a fund of miscellaneous information which she used to great advantage in the school-room. We think she laid out too much work for so short a term however, and as a result there was some lack of thoroughness. The examination would have been more satisfactory had some of the time spent in listening to half-learned declamations been devoted to the ordinary recitations of the classes.

WINTER TERM. Abbie C. Morse, Teacher. With no intentional disparagement of the other excellent teachers in town, we do not hesitate to accord to Miss Morse the praise of having kept the model school of the town. Order, system and thoroughness characterized all her instructions, while as a scholar, she was competent to teach most of the branches of study in our best academies. We hope an effort will be made to secure her services in the future. The scholars of this school deserve great praise for correct deportment and diligent application to their studies.

#### DISTRICT NO. 7.

SUMMER TERM. Mary C. G. Burt, Teacher. Miss Burt is a wide-awake and earnest young teacher, who tried hard to win



success. There was some complaint that the order was not what it should be. We saw nothing to indicate this, however. Miss Burt has an off-hand business way of doing things that we can but admire. A little more thoroughness in scholarship would increase her usefulness as a teacher.

WINTER TERM. Ida L. Dunbar, Teacher. This was Miss Dunbar's first school, and we think she gave unqualified satisfaction to her patrons. There was marked improvement during the term; but the examination did not realize our expectations. The scholars seemed to know but little when taken away from their text books. As an evidence of progress in that district, we notice that the rickety old chair has been repaired. A hitching-post is the next desideratum.

#### DISTRICT NO. 9.

ONE TERM. Nellie L. Allds, Teacher. We visited this school at the commencement of the session, and were well pleased with its appearance. Owing to a misunderstanding, (for which no one was to blame,) we were not notified of its close. We heard a favorable report from several parties, who told us to report it as "the best school they ever had." We congratulate the people of this district upon the fact of their having so far buried their old feuds as to unite again on school matters.

#### DISTRICT NO. 10.

ONE TERM. Myra E. McIlvin, Teacher. Because of the dilapidated condition of the school house in this district, the school was kept in Mr. Green's dwelling. Most of the scholars in attendance came from No. 5. Miss McIlvin is a fine scholar, and did excellent service in this backward school.

#### DISTRICT NO. 12.

Nellie M. Jackson, Teacher, both terms. Miss Jackson is the youngest teacher in town, and we had some misgivings because of her age when we heard of her engagement to teach.

She is a fine scholar, worked hard, and we think satisfied the reasonable expectations of the district. If there are dullards in school that won't make any effort to learn, the teacher ought not to be blamed for it. From Mary Munhall, a little girl of five years, we heard the best recitation, age considered, that we ever heard.

### DISTRICT NO. 13.

ONE TERM. Miss Lizzie Tuttle, Teacher. No teacher in town tried harder for a good school than Miss Tuttle. Her principal fault consisted in allowing her scholars to give answers in a vague and indefinite manner. The examination was somewhat below the proper standard.

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### REMARKS.

The schools in this town, during the past year, have in the main, been eminently successful, and I think we may safely congratulate ourselves upon having made *some* educational progress. During an experience of eleven years in the capacity we now serve, we have never been associated with a more intelligent and praise-worthy corps of teachers than most of those employed in the schools of this town during the past year. While a very few have been hardly up to the standard of excellence we could desire, there have been others, who in literary attainments, tact in the art of instructing, and enthusiastic devotion to their work we are satisfied would not suffer in comparison with any district school teachers in the state. There seems to be a constantly increasing interest in the cause of popular education in this town. Parents are, beginning to feel that the proper education of their children is a work of no secondary importance, and one that they are unwilling to commit to inefficient and unskilful hands; hence there is an increasing demand for well qualified and efficient teachers and a disposition to appreciate the labors of such by allowing them a reasonable com-

pension for their services and by cooperating with them in their responsible work. In order that a school should be successful the teacher *must have* the sympathy and cooperation of those for whom he is laboring. Pupils will never confide in and respect a teacher unless they believe him to have the confidence and respect of their parents, and if a teacher is not respected and loved by his pupils he may never hope for success. If he has no *claim* upon their love and esteem it is high time that his labors as a teacher were ended, and his attention directed to some other pursuit for a livelihood. But if he be a person of unexceptionable character, well qualified for, and earnestly devoted to his work the duty of parents is plain. They should extend to him their hearty cooperation and support, and cheer him on his way by the assurance that his arduous labors are appreciated by them. They should consult freely with him upon the character and disposition of their children and the most salutary methods of influencing their conduct and impressing their minds. The foolish practice of fastening the teacher out of school on New Years day we had supposed was confined to the Branch district, but we are sorry to say that the example ~~then~~ set has been copied by Nos. 1 and 2. The custom was once in vogue in some benighted localities, but like some other relics of barbarism, has almost entirely disappeared before the light of progress and civilization. It is a species of rowdyism that is an unmitigated disease to any community where allowed. The matter can best be controlled by parents, but if they neglect or fail to do it, it should be regarded a sufficient misdemeanor to cause the expulsion from school of all engaged in it. We protest against the practice of some of our teachers, in having all their pupils "speak a piece" at the examination. Two or three appropriate declamations properly interspersed through the exercises may add interest to the occasion and be well enough, but the idea of occupying any considerable portion of the time in this way we regard as a nuisance. It certainly affords no criterion by which to judge of the merits of a school, and consumes time that might be better employed. Again we object to the manner of conducting a spelling exercise by allowing the word when missed, to go uncorrected until some one notices the wrong spelling, and "takes it up" as it is called. The spelling should be corrected at the time, otherwise the pupils will get



the right way confounded with the wrong, and thereby receive little or no benefit.

In a former report we alluded to the fact that quite too many of our teachers confined their instructions exclusively to the text books; and while there has been a marked improvement in this respect within the past three years, there is still occasion to reiterate the objection. This applies especially to the study of arithmetic. How few of the best arithmeticians in our schools have any really definite practical knowledge of that useful science. They may have some facility in getting the answers to their "sums" when the answers are printed before them, but outside the grooves of their text books their calculations are all hap-hazard. To one class, several members of which had ciphered through Practical arithmetic, we asked the cost of 75 cubic feet of wood at 12 dollars a cord, and the number of Pounds of beef at 6 1-4 cts. per lb., that could be bought for \$5. The teacher apologized for the failure of the class to work these simple examples, by more than intimating that it was unfair to put such questions, inasmuch as the class had been confined strictly to the "book." The mere recital of dry, abstract rules and definitions is of but little use unless the pupil is made to see the frequent and repeated application to the business affairs of life. We heartily congratulate the friends of education upon the establishment in our town of a permanent High school. It meets a want that we have long felt. The Principal is no untried man. We all know him to be a ripe scholar and a devoted friend to the cause of education. We owe him a lasting debt of gratitude for services rendered to the schools of this town, in years gone by. Let us give him and the school he represents no grudging support. A school of such a character as this promises to be will mark a new era in the educational interests of the town. But highly as we value an institution of this kind we would not have it in any manner trench upon, or supersede the district school, whose interests we would again commend to the fostering care of an intelligent people. Let them not languish at our hands. When it is remembered that at our public schools the great mass of the rising generation are to receive their only education,—that they are there to form those habits of thought and principles of action that will influence their

whole future life, how can any one regard with indifference the efforts now making to give permanence to these institutions? or who can deny their urgent and pressing claims upon all who are desirous of perpetuating the priceless blessings of civil and religious liberty, and of elevating man to that position in the scale of being which the God of nature has made him capable of attaining?

In conclusion we cannot forbear to express our sincere thanks to those friends in different sections of the town, whose hospitalities we have so often shared while on visits to their schools, and to the teachers and scholars for the uniform respect and courtesy with which we have been treated.

HENRY D. CHAPIN, *S. S. Committee.*

Antrim, 22 Feb., 1873.

# TABLE OF STATISTICS.

## SUMMER TERMS.

Districts.	Length.	Scholars.	Average Attendance.	Tardiness.	Visits by			Wages and Board.
					S. C.	P. C.	Citizens.	
1 G.	10	17	14	59	2	2	30	\$34 00
1 P.	10	23	19	9	2	2	20	28 00
2	10	39	36	13	2	1	17	†
3	10	18	17	11	2	1	16	21 00
4	10	5	4	5	2	1	16	16 00
5	8	13	12	29	2	1	23	20 00
6	8	16	13		2	1	16	24 00
7	8	10	9	5	2	1	11	22 00
12	8	5	4	12	2	1	13	20 00

## WINTER TERMS.

1 G.	10	21	19	30	2	2	50	\$38 00
1 P.	10	25	21	9	2	2	15	30 00
2 G.	11	36	31	10	2	2	36	38 00
2 P.	8	30	25	7	2	1	13	†
3	13	32	23	117	2	1	30	33 00
4	9	21	18	64	45	1	30	40 00
5†								
6	9	16	13	4	2	1	14	24 00
7	12	15	12	54	2	1	22	24 00
9	6	17	16	22	1	1	4	20 00
10	9	10	6	21	2	2	5	21 00
12	12	6	5	18	2	1	18	22 00
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\* Register not returned. † New in session. ‡ Not inserted in register.



# FINANCIAL REPORT OF THE TOWN OF ANTRIM,

FOR THE YEAR ENDING MARCH 1, 1873.

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The amount of taxes committed to Samuel A. Holt for collection,.....	\$5,888.68
Interest on taxes,.....	7.98
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	\$5,896.66

*Paid as follows :*

Sundry receipts from Treasurer,.....	\$5,788.73
Interest on taxes,.....	7.98
Non-resident highway tax worked out,.....	29.27
Remaining in Collectors hands,.....	70.68
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	\$5,896.66

*Receipts into the Treasury.*

From the Treasurer of 1871,.....	\$2,017.21
“ “ Collector for 1872,.....	5,788.73
“ “ Savings Bank Tax,.....	1,200.16
“ “ Railroad Tax,.....	8.58
“ “ Literary Fund,.....	90.30
“ “ Interest on Taxes,.....	7.98
“ “ Collector for 1871,.....	534.37
“ “ Interest on Taxes for 1871,.....	17.87
“ “ A. J. Curtis, Dr. J. Goodell's bill etc.....	13.59
“ “ Reimbursement of war expenditures,.....	8,008.33
“ “ R. P. Saltmarsh, for highway taxes not worked	6.01
“ “ G. Brown for W. Stacy's sheep killed by dog,	5.00
“ “ S. G. Wallace, for N. W. C. Jamesons, sheep killed by dog,.....	2.00
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	\$17,700.14

*School Orders*

E. D. Putney, for Dist. No. 1,	1,	\$349.22
Mark True,	2,	220.49
Geo. P. Little,	3,	177.05
L. M. Curtis,	4,	127.15
O. K. Carr,	5,	69.48
A. R. Barker,	6,	56.46
J. P. Gibson,	7,	64.48
B. F. McIlvin,	8,	44.25
L. Green,	10,	35.69
A. H. Greeley,	12,	44.76
M. B. Tuttle,	13,	23.16
J. D. Mathews,	14,	10.08
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		\$1239.27

*Breaking Roads.*

J. S. Parmenter,	\$6.75	C. Appleton,	\$18.00
W. M. Conn,	13.65	J. White,	7.42
Ips Wyman,	35.48	C. F. Whitney,	10.83
T. S. Worthley,	6.52	Geo. Brown,	10.00
S. Dinsmore,	21.75	J. Duncan,	14.70
M. B. Tuttle,	18.97	J. Boyd,	12.60
E. B. Smith,	50.91	Geo. A. Cochran,	17.00
W. R. Carr,	14.40	J. W. Perkins,	10.80
O. K. Carr,	15.22	J. P. Gibson,	14.25
J. G. Flint,	23.99	A. R. Barker,	28.63
R. Sawyer,	18.70	C. Sawyer,	6.60
F. Robinson,	14.70	B. F. Kidder,	7.36
C. Butterfield,	6.30	T. D. Twiss,	1.20
D. White,	7.60	E. B. Smith,	7.20
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			\$421.53

*Town Orders.*

D. Steele, Police duty,	\$2.00
Selectmen of Bennington, lumber,	2.84
S. Wilson, tax on stock in trade,	2.82
Farnum & Scott, printing Reports,	30.00
Eastman & Co., Blanks and Stationery,	6.63
W. R. Carr, work on Loveren Bridge,	17.00
W. R. Carr, lumber for Loveren Bridge,	9.70
Wm. W. Hall, damage on highway,	6.00
J. M. Duncan, damage to carriage,	3.50
N. P. Hunt, County tax,	677.49
F. D. Appleton, work on Cochran Bridge,	68.50

W. G. Roach, plank and timber,.....	26.41
G. A. Cochran, drawing timber for bridge,.....	3.00
J. D. Mathews, work on Forest road,.....	14.75
G. W. Burns & Co., bridge timber,.....	34.56
S. A. Holt, Sheep killed by dog,.....	4.00
O. Smith, bridge plank,.....	17.82
E. B. Smith, work on road,.....	3.45
Betsy A. Rogers, tax on money in Savings Bank,.....	1.89
H. A. Rogers, bridge plank,.....	28.12
W. M. Conn, work on road,.....	25.86
L. M. Wilkins, work on road,.....	16.75
O. K. Carr, bridge plank,.....	40.26
B. F. Kidder, work on road,.....	4.65
W. R. Carr, plank work on bridge,.....	33.05
Thomas Poor, bridge plank,.....	32.17
M. B. Tuttle, bridge plank and labor,.....	12.25
J. D. Clement, work on road,.....	11.10
Chas. Appleton, work on road,.....	17.40
C. Cooledge, poll tax abated,.....	1.35
J. S. Parmenter, work on road,.....	11.91
C. White, painting guide boards,.....	12.00
A. R. Barker, work on road,.....	31.17
L. H. Brooks, stone posts,.....	8.00
F. M. Shattuck, work on Baldwin bridge,.....	5.92
G. A. Cochran, stone work for Cochran bridge,.....	5.00
C. H. Roberts, list of soldiers names,.....	3.00
Selectmen expenses of McClintock road route,.....	100.00
W. Weston, work on Forest road,.....	3.00
J. S. Parmenter, care of Town House,.....	5.00
J. S. Parmenter, services as sexton,.....	6.00
Ips Wyman, work on road,.....	4.35
W. Stacy, Sheep killed by dogs,.....	10.00
S. Dinsmore, bridge plank,.....	4.64
G. F. Parmenter, police duty,.....	2.00
G. F. Parmenter, work on road,.....	1.00
N. B. Swett, work on road,.....	1.50
W. R. Carr, services as sexton,.....	6.00
O. K. Carr, word on bridge,.....	2.00
J. G. Flint, work on bridge,.....	14.05
R. Sawyer, work on road,.....	2 05
A. Story, use of watering trough,.....	3.00
R. Sawyer, plank and work on bridge,.....	5.07
H. D. Chapin, services as S. S. Committee,.....	60.00
H. Eaton, work on road,.....	2.05
F. M. Shattuck, use of tomb,.....	3.00
T. Poor, bridge timber,.....	11.43
C. F. Whitney, work on road,.....	6.15
F. M. Shattuck, services as sexton,.....	7.50



F. Robinson, work on road,	4.00
N. W. C. Jameson, sheep killed by dog,	12.00
S. G. Wallace, damage to wagon,	3.00
M. D. Poor, guide boards,	5.00
George Brown, damage on road,	2.00
F. Perry, over tax 1871,	.37
J. Boyd, collecting Reimbursement money,	5.00
W. Eaton, examining road route,	3.00
W. N. Tuttle, Postage,	1.40
G. A. Cochran, journey to Concord for war debt,	5.00
T. Goodale, surveying town lines,	2.00
J. Duncan, surveying town line,	2.00
G. A. Cochran, services as Selectman,	88.00
E. C. Eastman, check list and express,	1.30
G. A. Cochran, perambulating town lines,	6.00
L. Parker, gravel,	2.00
J. P. Gibson, work on road,	7.70
J. W. Perkins, work on road,	6.50
A. Fairfield, nails for Tuttle bridge,	2.45
A. Fairfield, services as Town Clerk,	19.50
A. Fairfield, express on books,	.40
A. Fairfield, use of room,	2.00
B. Swett, tax on high valuation 1871,	4.00
S. Little, drawback on taxes not collectable 1871,	43.43
R. P. Saltmarsh, sexton,	31.00
S. A. Carter, State-tax,	1,074.00
W. N. Tuttle, services as Selectman,	63.00
G. A. Cochran, boarding selectmen,	7.00
J. M. Wilson, drawing bridge timber,	1.50
S. M. Thompson, repairing culvert,	1.10
W. M. Sargent, printing,	2.00
S. A. Holt, services as collector,	48.50
E. Bass, services as treasurer,	50.00
L. Smith, services as selectman,	48.00
H. Eaton, endorsement on note,	100.00
R. P. Whittemore, sheep killed by dog,	4.00
E. Bass, Steele Heirs highway tax,	2.80
A. Fairfield, service as Auditor,	6.00
R. P. Whittemore, services as Auditor,	6.00
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\$3,181.73	

*Poor Orders.*

L. Green, damage to room by paupers,	\$7.00
L. Green, boarding paupers,	38.00
Clark & Duncan, cage for A. Tuttle,	13.15
Dr. J. Goodell, medical services A. J. Curtis,	10.50

B. F. Upton, army blankets,.....	1.35
A. H. Greeley, boarding paupers,.....	107.25
A. H. Greeley, boarding paupers,.....	107.25
W. R. Carr, getting wood for Curtis,.....	2.50
J. B. Woodbury & Son, school books for Curtis children,.....	2.88
A. H. Greeley, boarding paupers,.....	116.25
B. F. McIlvin, aid to Curtis family,.....	7.85
J. S. Champney, moving Curtis' goods,.....	1.25
George P. Little, moving Curtis' goods, aid to family,.....	7.05
W. R. Carr, aid to Sarah Sawyer,.....	9.53
J. R. Kimball, medical services Curtis family,.....	44.00
J. R. Abbott & Co., lumber for cage,.....	3.48
A. H. Greeley, goods and making clothes,.....	20.97
E. D. Putney, goods for paupers,.....	16.39
G. A. Cochran, services as overseer,.....	20.00
G. A. & J. A. Whittemore, goods for paupers,.....	4.60
A. Fairfield, goods for Curtis family,.....	132.35
G. A. Cochran, finding settlement of Betsey Bell,.....	4.00
L. Thompson, tin funnel collar,.....	.17

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\$677.77

*Notes Paid.*

A. Fairfield,.....	\$219.98	Mark True,.....	\$1,130.52
H. Eaton,.....	160.26	Milton McCoy,.....	347.82
Anna Fletcher,.....	446.96	Helen P. Ramsey,...	713.43
Geo. L. Herrick,....	331.90	Mary Moulton,.....	103.82
Mary D. Nesmith,...	107.90	L. Campbell,.....	238.88
William M. Conn,....	366.38	A. L. Pike,.....	30.23
Imla Wright, Exr.,..	170.68	Nancy B. Mussey,..	55.99
James Wood,.....	378.87	Ella M. Pike,.....	154.87
M. W. Fuller,.....	1,553.58	Benj. D. Felch,....	182.49
Samuel Wood,.....	428.74	Augusta S. Carr,...	73.18
H. Griffin,.....	1,111.58	William N. Tuttle,..	118.18
Jane Hill,.....	418.80	N. B. Herrick,.....	564.04
Persis Wilson,.....	102.56		

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\$9,511.64

Amount of Bonds sold,.....\$17,800.00

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Total amount of liabilities,.....\$17800.00

In the Treasury,.....	\$1591.37
In Collector's hands,.....	70.68
Due from sale of poor farm property,.....	270.00

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\$1932.05

Whole amount of liabilities,.....	\$17,800.00
Due the town,.....	1,932.05
Whole amount of town debt,.....	\$15,867.95

All of which is respectfully submitted, by

ALMUS FAIRFIELD, }  
R. P. WHITTEMORE, } *Auditors.*

GEO. A. COCHRAN, } *Selectmen*  
LEANDER SMITH, } *of*  
WM. N. TUTTLE, } *Antrim.*

Antrim, N. H., March 1, 1873.

## REPORT OF OVERSEER OF THE POOR.

Whole cost of poor per town orders,.....\$677.77

Reuben Butters, Betsey Swain, Almira Tuttle, and A. J. Curtis are boarded at A. H. Greeley's for \$11.25 per week. The wife and four children of A. J. Curtis are receiving aid. The widow John Barker has received aid. Her brothers inform us that she shall not be of any expense to the town.

The list for poor orders will be found on a preceeding page.

Respectfully submitted, by

GEO. A. COCHRAN, *Overseer.*

Antrim, March 1, 1873.







**WEBBER & HARNDEN,**  
**ATTORNEYS AT LAW,**  
HILLSBOROUGH BRIDGE, N. H.

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**S. O. BOWERS,**  
**DENTIST.**

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HILLSBORO' BRIDGE, N. H.

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in the Extraction of Teeth.

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*DEALER IN*  
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*Watches, Jewelry and Plated Ware,*  
Whittemore's Block, - - - Hillsboro' Bridge, N. H.

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**S. DOW WYMAN,**  
*DEALER IN*  
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